

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-34 (Canceled)

35. (Currently Amended): A system for accessing and presenting asset information on a graphical user interface relating to assets of an organization, the assets comprising processes and procedures for the organization, said system comprising:

a plurality of assets each stored in a single location in a database wherein each of the assets has a profile associated therewith and each of the profiles includes a plurality of hierarchal identifiers, wherein the hierarchal identifiers include a plurality of tier designations associated with particular organizational levels within the organization;

a plurality of interactive screen displays, each presentable on a user interface and accessible over a data network, each at least one of the interactive screen displays further including at least one of the hierarchal identifiers the tier designations which are user selectable therefrom;

a search and compile apparatus, which in response to a user selected hierarchal identifier tier designation from one of the interactive screen displays, performs a search of the profiles and identifies the assets which includes the selected hierarchal identifier tier designation; and

a user interface page generator which based on selections made by a system user dynamically generates one or more pages which include selected data for the identified assets, wherein the one or more pages are presentable on a user interface device and configured such that the selected data for the identified assets is further selectable by a system user and associated data for the selected process identified assets is presentable on the user interface device, wherein the associated data includes at least a document version of the asset and any change requests associated with the asset.

36. (Canceled)

37. (Currently Amended): The system of claim ~~36~~35 wherein the hierarchal identifiers further includes at least one of: ~~a tier designation associated with a particular organizational level,~~ a functional area, a certified asset designation, a sample asset designation, a

draft asset designation, a serial number, and an alphanumeric title.

38. (Currently Amended): The system of claim ~~36~~35 wherein the associated data further includes at least one of: ~~a document version of the asset, one or more change requests associated with the asset,~~ replaced assets, and sample assets.

39. (Currently Amended): The system of claim ~~36~~35 wherein the associated information is accessible through a database link establishable with the profile.

40. (Currently Amended): The system of claim 35 wherein the data network includes at least one of: the Internet, an intranet, a local area network (LAN), and the at least one page and the one or more generated pages are accessible employing at least one of: a web browser, a web server, an HTML page generator, and one or more relational databases.

41. (Currently Amended): The system of claim ~~37~~35 wherein the ~~tiered~~ designations include: tier 0 which relates to organization policy statements, tier 1 which relates to policy documents which relate to a unit within the organization, tier 2 which relates to the unit's processes and procedures, tier 3 which relates to processes and procedures for one or more subunits, and tier 4 which relates to information not otherwise classifiable.

42. (Previously Added): The system of claim 35 further configured to selectively limit access to the assets.

43. (Currently Amended): The system of claim ~~38~~35 wherein the one or more pages are configured so that a system user may enter one or more of the change requests relating to one or more of the assets and the system is configured to automatically associate the one or more change requests with the profile for the one or more assets.

44. (Currently Amended): The system of claim ~~36~~35 wherein the one or more pages may be configured as a road map including one or more links to the assets related to an overall process described in the road map.

45. (Previously Added): The system of claim 44 wherein the overall process is initiation and operating of a program within the organization.

46. (Currently Amended): A method of accessing and presenting stored assets of an organization on a user interface, the assets comprising processes and procedures for the organization, said method comprising the steps of:

associating a profile with each of the stored assets wherein each of the profiles includes a plurality of hierarchal identifiers, the hierarchal identifiers including a plurality of tier designations associated with particular organizational levels within the organization;

detecting a connection of a system user over a data network and presenting at least one interactive screen display which includes ~~at least one of the hierarchal identifiers~~ the tier designations which ~~is~~ are user selectable therefrom;

based on a selected ~~hierarchal identifier~~ tier designation by a system user, searching the profiles of the stored assets to identify the profiles which include the selected ~~hierarchal identifier~~ tier designation; and

dynamically generating one or more pages for presentation on the display which include identification information for all assets with profiles which include the selected ~~hierarchal identifier~~ tier designation, wherein the identification information for the assets is further selectable by the system user and associated data for the assets associated with the identified profiles is presentable;

presenting links to document forms of the assets as part of the associated data; and
presenting links to any change requests associated with the assets as part of the associated data.

47. (Canceled)

48. (Currently Amended): The method of claim 46 wherein the data network ~~may~~ comprises at least one of: the Internet, an intranet, and a local area network (LAN).

49. (Previously Added): The method of claim 48 wherein the connection established

by a system user may be performed using a web browser.

50. (Previously Added): The method of claim 48 wherein the display page and the one or more pages are in HTML format.

51. (Currently Amended): The method of claim 4746 wherein the ~~at least one~~ hierarchal identifiers further includes at least one of: ~~a tier designation associated with a particular organizational level,~~ a functional area, a certified asset designation, a sample asset designation, a draft asset designation, a serial number, and an alphanumeric title.

52. (Canceled)

53. (Currently Amended): The method of claim 4746 further comprising the step of presenting links to at least one of: ~~one or more change requests associated with the asset,~~ replaced assets, and sample assets, as part of the associated data.

54. (Currently Amended): The method of claim 4746 further comprising the step of receiving one more change requests through the one or more interfaces and associating the one or more change requests with the profile of the associated stored asset.

55. (Previously Added): The method of claim 46 further comprising the step of controlling access to the asset based on the type of hierarchal identifier associated with the asset.

56. (Previously Added): The method of claim 46 further comprising the step of presenting a road map on the one or more pages which describes an internal process of the organization wherein the roadmap includes links to one or more of the assets.

57. (Currently Amended): The method of claim 46 further comprising the step of providing a search function through which search terms may be entered and employed to locate one or more of the assets.

58. (New): The system of claim 37 wherein at least one of the functional area, certified asset designation, sample asset designation, draft asset designation, serial number, and alphanumeric title hierarchal identifiers is included in at least one of the interactive screen displays and is user selectable therefrom, and wherein the search and compile apparatus performs a search of the profiles and identifies the assets which include at least one of the functional area, certified asset designation, sample asset designation, draft asset designation, serial number, and alphanumeric title hierarchal identifiers upon selection thereof.

59. (New): The method of claim 51 further comprising:
presenting at least one interactive screen display which includes at least one of the functional area, certified asset designation, sample asset designation, draft asset designation, serial number, and alphanumeric title hierarchal identifiers which is user selectable therefrom;
and

based on one of the functional area, certified asset designation, sample asset designation, draft asset designation, serial number, and alphanumeric title hierarchal identifiers selected by a system user, searching the profiles of the stored assets to identify the profiles which include the selected one of the functional area, certified asset designation, sample asset designation, draft asset designation, serial number, and alphanumeric title hierarchal identifiers.